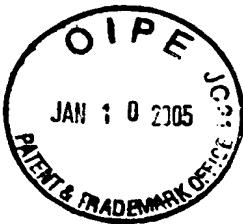


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Sir:

In response to the portion of the Formalities Letter dated August 9, 2004 that mentions references to omitted drawings, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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